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Title: Display With Active Contrast Enhancement

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Please amend the above-patent application as given below.

IN THE CLAIMS

Rewrite Claims 3, 21, 51, 68, 79, 81, 98, 104, 111, 112, and
117 as follows:

--3. (Amended) A display as in Claim 2 wherein each
shutter strip transmits up to a portion P_{T-AS} of incident
visible light provided from outside the display, $P_{T-TS} - P_{T-AS}$
[$P_{T-TS} - P_{T-AS}$] being at least 0.1.

21. (Amended) A display as in Claim 20 [6] wherein each
imaging element is light emissive.

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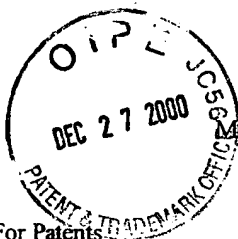
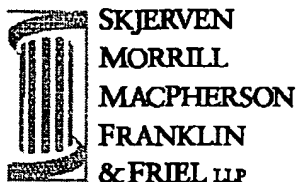
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Transmitted herewith are the following documents in the above-identified application:

- (1) Return Receipt Postcard;
- (2) This Transmittal Letter (in duplicate); and
- (3) Preliminary Amendment (5 pages).

☒ No additional fee is required.

CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	Claims Remaining <u>After Amendment</u>		Highest No. Previously <u>Paid For</u>		Present <u>Extra</u>		<u>Rate</u>		Additional <u>Fee</u>	
Total Claims	130	Minus	130	=	0	x	\$18	\$	0.00	
Independent Claims	7	Minus	7	=	0	x	\$78	\$	0.00	
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